

## Message Text

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O 181912Z MAY 78  
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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4593  
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UNCLAS SANTO DOMINGO 2672

LONDON FOR ARA DAS BUSHNELL

PANAM FOR ROBERT PASTOR, NSC

EO 11652 NA  
TAGS: PINT, PEPER, PINS, DR  
SUB: PRESIDENT BALAGUER'S LETTER TO OAS COMMISSION

REF: A) SANTO DOMINGO 2646, B) SANTO DOMINGO 2650

LAST NIGHT PRESIDENT BALAGUER SENT COPY OF ANNOUNCE-  
MENT BY CENTRAL ELECTORAL BOARD (JCE) (REF A) TO  
MEMBERS OF OAS ELECTION OBSERVER MISSION UNDER COVER  
OF LETTER. FOLLOWING IS INFORMAL TRANSLATION OF TEXT  
OF BLALGUER'S LETTER:

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QUOTE: THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC SENDS GREETINGS TO  
THEIR EXCELLENCIES FORMER PRESIDENTS GALO  
PLAZA, JULIO CESAR MENDEZ MONTENEGRO AND MISAEL PASTRANA  
BORRERO AND IS PLEASED, IN ADDITION TO WHAT HE  
TOLD THEM IN THEIR MEETING  
THIS MORNING IN THE NATIONAL PALACE (REF B), TO SEND THEM THE  
COMMUNIQUE PUT OUT BY THE CENTRAL ELECTRAL BOARD AND READ THIS

AFTERNOON BY ALL THE COMMUNICATIONS MEDIA IN THE COUNTRY.  
WITH THIS ANNOUNCEMENT MADE TO THE COUNTRY'S PUBLIC OPINION  
BY OUR HIGHEST ELECTORAL ORGAN, THE ELECTORAL PROCESS, WHICH  
FOR SOME HOURS WAS INTERRUPTED  
FOR EASONS BEYOND THE CONTROL OF THE BOARD AS WELL AS THE  
GOVERNMENT, WAS NORMALIZED. SALUTORY CLOSE. UNQUOTE.  
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